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mission to do so to the Captain Super-
intendent of Police, at least 48 hours
before the intended hour of departure,
giving name, nationality, age, sex, height
and occupation of the applicant, and
stating the name of the steamer or other
vessel or the hours of the train by which
the applicant wishes to leave. Applicants
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1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 10 minutes
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2.15 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes
5.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

NIGHT CARS.
8.50 p.m. and 9 p.m. 9.30 p.m. to 11.00
p.m. every half hour.
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an hour.

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10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.
11.30 a.m. to 12 Noon Every 10 minutes.
12.00 Noon to 1.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
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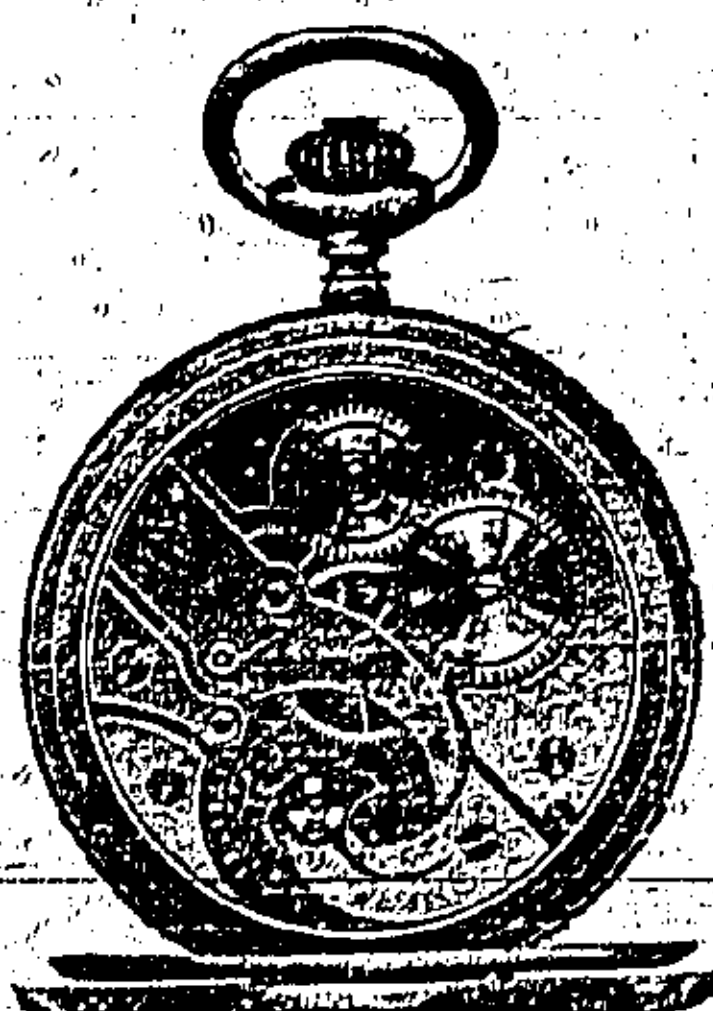
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I—Authorized Capital £8,000,000

Subscribed Capital £4,500,000

Paid-up Capital £2,437,500

II—Fire Funds £3,832,114

III—Life & Annuity Funds £10,156,190

Sinking Fund Account £8,613

£22,561,268

Revenue Fire Branch £2,647,158

Life and Annuity £1,973,289

Branches £22,698

Other Receipts £30,193

£25,533,518

The Accumulative Funds of the various
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Imperial Bouquet	\$5.00	per 100
Extra Fine (Grand Format)	4.40	" 100
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Yildiz	1.00	" 25
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
the undersigned, W. G. WORCESTER
is removing his Office from 15 to No.
6 Des Vœux Road Central, and that he
will in future carry on his business of a
Share and General Broker at the style
of W. G. WORCESTER & CO.

Notice is also given that Mr. P. M. N.
SIVA is authorized to sign, per pro, the
name of W. G. WORCESTER & CO. as from
November 1st.

Dated this 28th day of October, 1915.

W. G. WORCESTER

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CANTON KOWLOON RAILWAY.

TENDERS for the supply of Liquors
and Refreshments at the Terminal
Stations at Tai Sha Tat and Kowloon
and on all Trains.

It is hereby notified that SEALED
TENDERS which should be clearly
marked "Tender for Refreshments and
Liquors on the Canton Kowloon Railway"
will be received at the Head Office of the
British Section at Kowloon, and at the
Office of the Managing Director at Tai
Sha Tat, until noon of THURSDAY,
November 11th.

Forms of Tender and full particulars
may be obtained at the Head Office of the
British Section at Kowloon or the Head
Office of the Chinese Section at Tai Sha
Tat.

The Railway does not bind itself to
accept the highest or any tender.

H. P. WINSLOW,
Manager,
British Section.

WEN TEE CHANG,
Managing Director,
Chinese Section.

Hongkong, Oct. 15, 1915. 929

THE NATIONAL LOAN OF THE

FOURTH YEAR OF THE REPUBLIC

OF CHINA:

1915.

TWENTY-FOUR MILLION DOLLARS

(\$24,000,000).

NOTICE is hereby given to Subscribers

that the Chinese Government have been made

understanded each month the sum of

Dollars One Hundred and Twenty Thousand

(\$120,000) from the revenues assigned

under the Loan Regulations to the Service

of this Loan. Loan Service Accounts have

been opened in the name of the Under-

signed with the Bank of China and the

Bank of Communications, into which these

monthly instalments of interest will be

paid as received, and these accounts will

be drawn on to meet the half-yearly

interest Coupons.

The first interest instalment for the

month of October, 1915 has been duly

received and brought to account.

F. A. AGLEN,
Inspector General of Customs,
and Vice-Chairman of the Bureau of
National Loans.

Inspectorate General of Customs,
Peking, 15th October, 1915. 910

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY.

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E. RAY
THE OPEN GOLF
CHAMPION. writes:
"I have never seen a man who has
been a regular smoker of your
Glasgow Mixture for the
last twelve years and I might
also say that I cannot find
any tobacco to suit me like it." In my opinion if Golf Players would
smoke your famous Glasgow Mixture they would find it very soothing
to the nerves, as I am sure I do, when having to play strenuous Golf
matches such as the Open Championship, etc. Yours truly, E. RAY.

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A COMMUNION OF HEARTS.

At the end of last year a manifesto from
leading British authors was addressed to
their colleagues in Russia on the war,
addressing them in the spirit of brotherly
sympathy and support.

A reply has now been received from
Russia in the form of an address to the
British people, signed by all the leading
men of letters, artists, and composers in
Russia.

The address is as follows:—

TO THE BRITISH PEOPLE.

In these days, when an event of highest
importance—the brotherly meeting of two
nations at the gateway of the universal
fates and their union in the common strife
for Europe's liberation—is sealed for ever
in the memory of mankind with the blood
of our valiant warriors, faithful sons of
Britain and Russia—in these days, our
British brothers in the various centres of
European civilization, your people, who
have taught freedom to all the world, have
always been and will continue to be the
object of our study and admiration. We
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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1915.

BY TELEGRAPH.

THE WAR.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LORD LANSDOWNE ON THE BALKAN SITUATION.

HIS LORDSHIP'S STATEMENT CONTINUED.

London, Oct. 26.

At the instance of M. Venizelos we undertook to provide a force to enable Greece to fulfil the Serbo-Greek Treaty; hence such troops as were available were sent to Salonika. It was a small force because only a small force could be collected. France also sent her troops simultaneously. That a larger force be prepared was suggested. These steps, no doubt incomplete, were taken with great promptitude, though after full deliberate consultation with military and naval advisers.

The British force at Salonika was thirteen thousand. This was regarded as a precursor to a larger force. The use whereto the latter would be put must depend on the situation when they arrived on the scene. The Anglo-French Governments realised that when further reinforcements reached the Eastern Mediterranean they would necessarily take careful stock of the position.

Events which were moving most rapidly were profoundly affected by Greece not fulfilling her treaty engagements and the enemy's progress in Serbia.

Lord Lansdowne concluded by saying that French and British military and naval advisers were now conferring in regard to the situation. General Monro, who had arrived in that part of the world, had been instructed to report his opinion as soon as possible.

Lord Lansdowne gave his assurance that the Government would not act hurriedly on impulse but would take the best military advice at every step.

LORD LOREBURN'S COMMENTS IN HOUSE OF LORDS.

In the House of Lords, Lord Loreburn asked whether the Government naval and military advisers were satisfied, regarding the despatch of troops to Salonika that full provision had been made for their communications and the supply to the men of material. He pointed out the disappointments in the Dardanelles enterprise and desired an assurance that the country would not suffer any great danger from unpreparedness or indecision.

BY TELEGRAPH.

(Wah Tsz Yat Po's Service.)

PRINCE CHING.

Peking, Oct. 26.

Prince Ching (a Manchu and uncle of the ex-Emperor) has arrived at Peking.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS.

The Government intends appointing Pak Yih Kon as Governor of Kansu.

As Ha Kai Fook has refused the appointment of Minister to the United States a mandate has appointed Ku Wai Kwan to the post.

RESIGNATION OF THE PREMIER.

Chu Sui Ching, the Premier, tendered his resignation on the 24th inst. The President sent his eldest son, Yim Hark Ting, to retain him.

LATER.

Chu Sui Ching is being sent by the Government to Urga on important business and will start on the 1st of next month.

5.15 p.m. Sergeant E. V. Mitchelmore, Corp. A. Edwards, LeCpl. W. J. Crawford, Ptes. H. E. Goldsmith, A. J. Carter, L. A. Cosart, J. Martin, W. Hill, J. W. Graham, and C. J. Higgins botham, and will be exempt from guard, picket duty, and parades other than signalling parades. Attendance at all signalling parades is compulsory.

SIGNALING INSTRUCTION.

The parade ordered for Thursday, the 23rd inst. is cancelled.

PROMOTION.

LeCpl. W. J. Crawford is promoted Lance Sergeant in the Signalling Section and appointed an instructor in Signalling.

Pte. H. G. Earle having joined is posted to Co. "A" Sec. 4.
Pte. O. I. Ellis having joined is posted to Co. "B" Sec. 2.
Pte. J. W. Harris having joined is posted to Co. "C" Sec. 1.
Pte. H. Watkins having joined is posted to Co. "B" Sec. 1.

ORDERLY SERGEANT.

Orderly Sergeant from the morning of the 29th October to the morning of the 4th November, Sergt. S. E. Green.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A. Chapman, V.D.

JOINED.

The undermentioned, having joined the Corps, are posted as follows:—
Sapper W. Old to Engineer Company.
Private R. A. Brand to Scouts Company (No. 2 Section).

LEAVE.

The undermentioned are granted leave of absence as follows:—
Sapper J. A. Hunter from 20.10.15 to 29.11.15.
Private F. Bevington from 2.11.15 to 2.2.16.
Private A. C. Davison from 10.11.15 to 24.11.15.

RESIGNATIONS.

Pte. F. D. Silas is permitted to resign, dated 23.10.15.
Sapper C. F. Carpenter is permitted to resign, dated 27.10.15.

PARADES.

Parades for Thursday, 28th inst., at 5.40 p.m.:—
Recruits of all units (except Right Section M.G. Co. and Signalling Section)—Squad drill and rifle exercise at Headquarters, under Sergt.-Major Higby and Sergt. Frith.

DETAIL.

Gun Club Hill, Kowloon:—
On duty until 29th inst.: Civil Service Company. Officer on duty: Lieut. Lindell.
P. of W. Camp, Kowloon:—
On duty to-night: No. 1 Section Artillery. Officer on duty: Capt. Wolfe.
On duty to-morrow night: Left Sec. M.G. Co. and the following members of Right Sec. M.G. Co.:—Sergt. Schnepel, Ptes. Wilman, Hart, Moyhing, Monteiro, D'Azevedo, and C. G. Anderson. Officer on duty: Capt. Armstrong.
Orderly Sergeant until 29th inst.: Corpl. Lowick.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

Major Wakeman, Commanding H.K.V.R.

APPOINTMENT.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of Capt. Cyril Champlin, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, being attached to the Hongkong Volunteer Reserve, with effect from the 15th inst.

PRISONERS OF WAR CAMP AND GUN CLUB HILL PICKETS.

The H.K.V.R. will relieve the H.K.V.C. on Friday the 29th inst.

DETAIL.

Prisoners of War Camp and Gun Club Hill.
Friday 29th Oct. Secs. 1 and 2 of A Co. Secs. 3 and 4 of A Co.
Saturday 30th Oct. Secs. 1 and 2 of B Co. Secs. 3 and 4 of B Co.
Sunday 31st Nov. Sec. 1 of C Co. Secs. 2, 3 and 4 of C Co.
Monday 1st Nov. Secs. 3 and 4 of A Co. Secs. 1 and 2 of A Co.
Tuesday 2nd Nov. Secs. 3 and 4 of B Co. Secs. 1 and 2 of B Co.
Wednesday 3rd Nov. Secs. 2, 3 and 4 of C Co. Sec. 1 of C Co.

MUSKETS.

Members of "A" Co., with the exceptions hereunder mentioned, will parade on the Cricket ground at 7.30 a.m. on Sunday the 31st October, dress: drill order with haversacks and waterbottles, filled (no pouches) and proceed by launch to Kowloon City. Food will be taken in haversacks. All exempted members must parade unless employed on Government or Military duties between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. on the 31st inst., in which case a certificate to that effect must be sent to the O.C. "A" Co. three days in advance. Lieut. Blason and Lieut. Besick are detailed for supervision at the Butts. The officers detailed for the Butts will be on the range by 8 a.m. A special team will leave the Peak at 7.15 a.m. The following members will not attend:—Ptes. W. Nicholson, W. J. Pringle, G. M. Young, A. C. Dias, L. A. Cosart, W. J. Woodman, W. Hill, A. J. Carter, V. C. Parr, E. Ralphs, A. E. Chapne and A. Derby.
"C" Co. will parade on the Cricket ground on Sunday the 7th November at 7.30 a.m. Dress: drill order with haversacks and waterbottles (no pouches).

PARADES.

"B" Co. will parade on the Cricket ground at 5.15 p.m. on Monday the 1st November. Dress: Drill order shirt sleeves.
"A" Co. will parade on the Cricket ground at 5.15 p.m. on Wednesday the 3rd November. Dress: Drill order shirt sleeves.
"C" Co. will parade on the Cricket ground at 5.15 p.m. on Friday the 5th November. Dress: Drill order shirt sleeves.
"D" Co. will parade at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.15 p.m. on Wednesday the 3rd November under Sgt. Major Cooke. Dress: drill order.

RECRUITS.

Recruits will parade on the Cricket ground on Monday the 1st Nov., Wednesday the 3rd November, and Thursday the 4th November at 5.15 p.m. under Sergt. Major Bond. Dress: drill order shirt sleeves.

SIGNALERS.

The following will parade on Tuesday the 2nd November, and Thursday the 4th November at Volunteer Headquarters at

HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE.

General Order No. 19, issued by the Hon. C. S. P., states:—I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to communicate to the members of the Police Reserve that the Secretary of State for the Colonies, in reply to a despatch reporting on the inspection of the Police Reserve by Major General Kelly, desires to express his appreciation of the public spirit shown by the members of the Reserve.

PARADE (CANCELLATION).

The Route March ordered for Friday, Oct. 29th, is cancelled.

WINTER UNIFORM MEASURING.

Thursday, October 28th.
5.30 p.m.—1st Platoon, No. 1 Company.
6.00 p.m.—2nd " " " "
Friday, October 29th.
5.30 p.m.—1st Platoon, No. 2 Company.
6.00 p.m.—2nd " " " "

SERVICE RIFLES.

The 1st and 2nd Platoons, No. 1 Company, will draw service rifles on Thursday evening, Oct. 28th.
All N. O. Officers are to have service rifles issued to them. They will return their Martins etc., and draw these rifles on Oct. 28th.

TILE SHOOTING COMPETITION.

Captains of Teams or Platoon Commanders will, if possible, be prepared to hand the names of the men in their teams to their opponents after the drawing on Thursday, Oct. 28th.

PATROLS.

1 CENTRAL AS ordered
2 EASTERN AS ordered
3 WATER POLICE.
Oct. 28th-29th, as already published.
Oct. 30th-5.50—Fyfe (S) Maxwell (S) Doughty (P).
8.50—Souza (S) Cruz (S) Xavier (P).
Oct. 31st 5.50—Ford (S) M. Edmund (S).
8.50—Fisher (S) Moore (S).

PATROL DUTIES.

Inspectors and Crown Sergeants on the Staff visiting Patrols will be detailed from the D.S.P.'s office for November month.
O. O. Companies are being instructed to warn their men on what dates they will be required for the whole of next month.

MARTINI CARBINES NOS. 119 AND 352.

Members in possession of the above Cartridges are requested to return same to the Store Sergeant at the Central Police Station as soon as possible. The numbers will be found on a small circular brass plate let into the butt.

(Sgd.) F. O. JENKIN.

D. S. P. (Reserve).

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GERMAN TYRANNY IN BELGIUM.

MORE EXECUTIONS.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 31.

An official telegram from Berlin states that there were twenty-one arrests in Belgium during the last few days, including four women, for espionage, plotting, placing dynamite at railways and public buildings.

An espionage system was detected in the North of France, directed by the wife of a French officer. Two women are among those arrested.

Nine persons, sentenced to death in Belgium on October 26 for espionage, were executed on Friday, while ten others were sentenced to penal servitude, including three women.

LABOUR CALLED ON TO DO ITS PART TOWARDS VICTORY.

LONDON, Nov. 1.

Mr. Thomas, M.P., in addressing the Railway men at Middlesbrough stated that all sections of the community were now saying that if the nation is to be victorious labour must play its part. Labourites were naturally proud of this recognition, and they should see that the obligation is carried out by enlistment, munition making and railway work and to give their best. No peace overtures should be recognised until Prussian militarism is vanquished.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

NEW GERMAN AMBASSADOR AT CONSTANTINOPLE.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 31.

Count Wolff Metternich, ex-Ambassador at London, has been appointed Ambassador at Constantinople.

AFTERNOON SHARE FLUCTUATIONS.

Messrs Vernon and Smyth inform us there were no changes in the market share prices this afternoon.

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LATEST NEWS FROM THE
VARIOUS FRONTS.HIS MAJESTY THE KING'S
CONDITION.

SLOW PROGRESS: STILL WEAK.

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN RUSSIAN
GOVERNMENT.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE KING'S CONDITION.

HIS MAJESTY STILL WEAK.

LONDON, Oct. 31, 4.55 p.m.
The Press Bureau announces that the King is making slow progress. The pain is diminishing, but His Majesty is still weak. The pulse and temperature are normal.

SERBIANS FIGHTING STUBBORNLY.

Nisi, Oct. 31.

The Serbians are fighting most stubbornly, despite the appearance of the new Bavarian and Austrian mountain troops. A communique admits that the Serbians have taken up positions behind Pirat.

THE FRENCH OCCUPATION OF
STRUMNITZA.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

A telegram from Salonika states that the French occupied Strumnitza on Wednesday, after a battle lasting from five on Tuesday evening till nine o'clock next morning. The French drove the Bulgarians six miles beyond Strumnitza and are thus over twelve miles from the railway.

The French state the Bulgarians yielded easily to their resistance, which was not to be compared with that of the Germans.

EFFECT OF BRITISH SUBMARINE
ACTIVITY IN THE BALTIC.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 31.

The *Reich* attributes the German slackening in the Baltic provinces to the shortage of ammunition owing to the activity of British submarines in the Baltic.

GERMAN INFANTRY ATTACK IN
CHAMPAGNE.

PARIS, Oct. 31, 5.55 p.m.

A communique says that yesterday's German bombardment in Champagne developed the greatest violence on a front of eight kilometres from Tahure Hill to "The Courtois." German infantry attacked along the whole of the eight kilometres with important masses composed mostly of troops recently returned from the Russian front.

ARMLETS FOR THOSE WHO WISH TO ENLIST.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

It is officially stated that Lord Kitchener has decided to issue khaki armbands, firstly to those who enlist under Lord Dufferin's scheme and are waiting to join the colours; secondly, to those rejected; thirdly, to those invalided out of the service.

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 31.

It is understood that the Premier, M. Goremykin, will shortly be appointed Chancellor of the Empire, this being only the twelfth appointment of a Chancellor in Russia's history. The *Bourse Gazette* says M. Goremykin will have the supreme control of foreign affairs, and will probably be assisted by M. Shtekel, ex-Ambassador to Vienna.

It is reported that the Tsar has accepted the resignations of M. Sazonov and two other ministers while M. Krostoff becomes premier.

GERMANS AGAIN COMPLETELY REPULSED.

PARIS, Oct. 31, 5.20 p.m.

The following is a continuation of a communique, the first part of which is published in another column. "Despite extreme desperation on the part of the Germans, they have once more suffered serious defeat. Waves of attackers were defeated by our fire along the whole front. They only succeeded in reaching the summit of Tahure Hill. Every where, especially in front of the villages of Tahure, where fighting was particularly obstinate, the Germans were completely repulsed and driven back. The Germans, along the whole scene of the struggle, left a very large number of dead."

MORE GERMAN BARBARITY.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

A telegram from Athens says that the details of the sinking of the *Marquette* show that the Germans fired on the boats after the latter left the ship.

SPECULATION ON GENERAL JOFFRE'S VISIT.

"THINKING DEPARTMENT" FOR THE WAR OFFICE WANTED.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

There is much speculation regarding the conversations of General Joffre and the members of the "Inner Cabinet." The favourite theory is that a scheme of Central Military Control is under discussion.

The *Observer* declares that the re-organisation of the War Office is essential and that a new "thinking department" must be created to assist Lord Kitchener who has been expected to perform impossibilities. The provision of the General Staff with the ablest soldier possible as chief, is more important than the creation of an inner War Cabinet.

NEW FRENCH GOVERNMENT'S POLICY.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

M. Briand, Premier of the French Parliament, is telegraphing to Sir Edward Grey on the moment of assuming the direction of Foreign Affairs, declared that France intends to pursue with the same desire the intimate active collaboration of policy so happily binding France and Great Britain since the beginning of the common fight.

Sir Edward Grey replied that he was glad of this opportunity of re-affirming the unswerving determination of the Government to co-operate with France and thus bring the struggle to a successful issue.

BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE ACCIDENT TO THE
KING.

HOW IT OCCURRED.

LONDON, Oct. 30.

Reuter's correspondent at Headquarters says that on October 28 the King left the Royal residence shortly before ten in the morning for a small town, where he met the General Commanding the First Army. He exchanged his motor car for a horse and the whole party proceeded to a large field where the troops, representing one Corps of the First Army, were drawn up for inspection.

The King rode through the long lines of men, examining each unit most attentively and frequently questioning the officers accompanying them. Rain was falling with gusts of bitter wind. The King left the field and after a short ride met the Commander and Staff of another Corps of the First Army and proceeded to inspect some thousands of troops. It was here that the accident occurred.

Frightened by the cheering of the men who also waved their caps in the air, the mare which His Majesty was riding reared in the air. The King regained control but the mare again reared and fell over backwards, throwing his Majesty to the ground. The officers in the vicinity rushed forward and assisted the King to a motor car, which drove off.

The remainder of the day's programme including the inspection of the Indian troops, a review of the Guards and a visit to the casualty clearing station, was cancelled.

The news of the accident quickly spread and the men were hushed into silence as the car slowly passed, the King, seated in the corner, gravely acknowledging their salutes.

CONDITION IMPROVED.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The King has had a good night and was better today. World-wide telegrams of sympathy have been received.

The following telegram was received by His Excellency the Governor yesterday:—
The condition of His Majesty the King has further improved. He has had some sleep and the pain is diminishing. Temperature and pulse are normal.

LATER.

A bulletin states that the King's condition has further improved. He has had some sleep. The pain is diminishing while temperature and pulse are normal.

GENERAL JOFFRE'S
SYMPATHY.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

General Joffre visited Buckingham Palace and it is understood he expressed to the Queen his sympathy over the accident to the King. Then General Joffre called on Queen Alexandra.

GENERAL JOFFRE IN
ENGLAND.

LONDON, Oct. 30.

General Joffre visited the War Office in London in the afternoon, and departed soon in a motor car with Lord Kitchener. He received an ovation by the crowds, and was afterwards present at a full Cabinet.

ENTERTAINED BY LORD
KITCHENER.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

Lord Kitchener entertained General Joffre at a banquet last night. There were numerous distinguished men present.

CONFERES WITH CABINET
COMMITTEE.

LONDON, Oct. 30.

The committee of the Cabinet, including Mr. Asquith, Mr. Balfour and Earl Kitchener, conferred with General Joffre; then Mr. Lloyd George and General Joffre held another conference. Earl Kitchener gave a banquet to General Joffre in the evening.

LATER.

RETURNS TO FRANCE.

General Joffre has returned to France.

A FRENCH CONFERENCE.

PARIS, Oct. 31.

M. Briand (the Premier), General Joffre, and M. Gallieni (War Minister), had a conference on Thursday, doubtless on the subject of the Balkans.

GERMANY DRAWING FROM HER
GARRISONS.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 20.

The *Telegraph* states that considerable forces are being sent to the Front, they having been drawn from garrisons in the Rhine provinces.

PRINCE OF WALES.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

The Prince of Wales arrived in the afternoon at Buckingham Palace on leave of absence.

BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE FIGHTING IN THE
BALKANS.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 30.

An Austrian communique mentions that the rains are making the ground in Serbia almost impracticable, but that the fighting is of the bitterest kind. It further declares that the Serbians have begun to retreat along the whole front, following the Bulgarian capture of Firat.

RUSSIANS TO INVADE BULGARIA.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 31.

The Balkan correspondent of the *Tagblatt* says that great contingents of Russians are leaving Odessa and Sevastopol, conveyed by a strong Russian fleet, en route to the Bulgarian coast.

TROOPS MASSING.

PARIS, Oct. 31.

The *Echo de Paris* says that troops and stores continue to arrive at the Serbo-Bulgarian front, and at Chergeli.

A VICTORY FOR CARPENTIER.

PARIS, Oct. 30.

Georges Carpentier who is now an air pilot, was attacked, while in the enemy's lines, by two German aviators which he drove back. The champion boxer has been recommended for mention in despatches.

THE UNION PARLIAMENT.

PARIS, Oct. 31.

Parliament will meet on the 19th November.

HYGIENE AND THE WAR.

LONDON, Oct. 30.

Sir James Crichton Brown, in an address delivered before a conference of Sanitary Inspectors, said that when the history of the war came to be summed up, the future verdict would be that Great Britain was saved by her sanitation. "We should have lost over a million men, in addition to the half million reported, if the rate of sickness had been the same as in the South African War. History showed that mental despondency, following defeat, was accompanied by terrible outbreaks of infectious disease. The brightness and cheeriness of the British troops during this war had fortified their resistance to disease."

BULGARIAN TOWNS BOMBARDED.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

A Paris report states that the Russian fleet carried out another furious bombardment of Varna and Bourgas the whole of yesterday, inflicting important damage.

GERMAN FALSEHOODS.

LONDON, Oct. 30.

A communique from Rome states that the Italians are advancing successfully despite unfavourable conditions and the enemy's resistance capturing forts and prisoners. Our aviators made numerous raids on Thursday on the Carso front, dropping bombs at several points on the Gorizia-Trieste railway, also upon the enemy's camps and marching columns. The aviators returned safely despite heavy fire.

INDIAN POLICE.

Recruiting Next Year.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The Secretary for India notifies that it is not proposed to hold in 1916 the usual examination for entrance to the Indian Police Service. It is impossible at present to give any information as to future recruiting.

IMPORTANT CABINET MEETING.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

There has been a sitting of the Cabinet of unusual importance, owing to the conferences with General Joffre and also in view of Mr. Asquith's forthcoming statement, in which it is expected the Premier will announce a smaller War Cabinet for the immediate direction of both the Naval and Military campaigns.

ENGLAND AND SWEDEN.

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 31.

Negotiations between England and Sweden with a view to an agreement regarding commercial questions arising from the war, have been broken off.

It should be noted that the failure of commercial negotiations in no wise prejudices the friendly commercial relations of the two countries.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

AMERICA AND A CHINA'S
GOVERNMENT.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.

It is understood that Mr. Lansing, State Secretary, declined to express to Baron China, the Japanese Ambassador, his views in regard to the form of China's Government, as such might be construed as interference in China's internal affairs. Public sympathy, however, favours a Republic.

CHINA'S MONARCHICAL
MOVEMENT.

EXTRAORDINARY JAPANESE NOTE.

PEKING, Oct. 29.

Mr. Ohta, the Japanese Charge d'Affaires, yesterday presented a note verbal to the Viceroy (Department of Foreign Affairs) advising the suspension, temporarily, of the Monarchical movement on account of the increasing opposition to it. The Note also disclaimed and intention of interference in Chinese affairs. The British and Russian Ministers accompanied Mr. Ohta. The nature of the Chinese reply has not yet been determined.

"PLUMBERS" FOR A MONARCHY.

The Provinces of Kirin, Fengtien, Shensi, Hunan, and Chihli have returned the names of their representatives in the election. They have plumbed in favour of a Monarchy.

ANOTHER LOAN.

The Ministry of Finance has applied to the Quinquennial Groups for a loan of 10,000,000 taels, to be secured on the Salt revenue, repayable in two years.

It is presumed that the loan is required for the payment of the expenses in connection with the Monarchical movement.

BRITISH WARSHIPS COLLIDE
OFF GALLI POLI.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

It is officially announced that on the night of the 28th the auxiliary sweeper *Hythe* was sunk after a collision with another warship, off Gallipoli Peninsula. The *Hythe* was carrying about 250 men, besides her crew. One hundred are reported missing.

LATER.

It is officially announced that the casualties of the *Hythe* are ten of the crew, and that two military officers and 143 soldiers are missing.

OBITUARIES.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The death is announced of the Rev. Stuart Alexander Donaldson, Master of Magdalene College, Cambridge. The death is also announced of Lord Welby, P.C., G.C.B.

[Lord Welby was Permanent Secretary to the Treasury for nine years, and had held the position of Chairman of the London County Council.]

(Havas Service.)

Oct. 30.

French Stock now stands at 65.60. Yesterday we carried several trenches on a front of 150 metres in a part of the work called "The Courtois," taking 200 prisoners and inflicting very serious losses on the enemy.

To-day we occupied in Artois a portion of a trench.

The Ministerial declaration of the New Ministry will be read in Parliament on Wednesday next.

Salonika—British troops, starting from the Serbian front, have effected a junction with the Serbians.

Petrograd—We have occupied Bourki. The Germans have evacuated Koval.

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Hon. Secretary.

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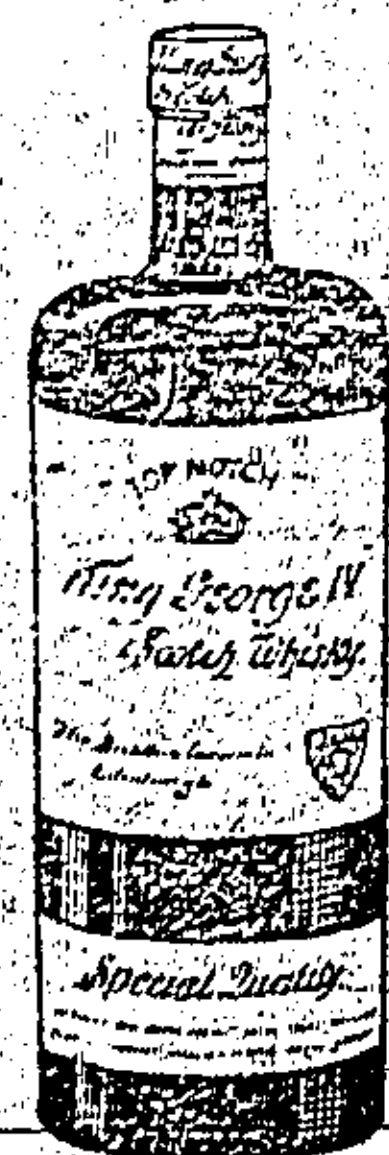
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